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WAR FUND MAY COME FROM MOTORS.

LEGISLATORS DO GOOD

Present Democratic Representatives in Congress Should Be Returned This Fall, Says Mr. Van Cleave.

(By W. C. Van Cleave.)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 30.—It is probable that the war tax bill passed by the house a few days ago will be considerably changed by the senate. It has been suggested that instead of a tax on gasoline, a tax will be levied on automobiles direct, that the tax proposed on banking concerns will be lowered, that the tax on domestic wines will be somewhat altered so as to avoid favoring either Ohio or California, the two chief wine producing states and, lastly, it is possible that the stamp tax will be stricken out and the exemptions on the income tax lowered instead so as to include more people in its scope. These are only tentative but are being considered by the finance committee of the senate.

Taxes, in whatever form, are unpleasant burdens, a part of which every citizen is obligated to bear in return for the protection and benefits received from his government. In the past a large part of the revenues of our government have been derived from indirect or tariff taxes on articles imported from other countries. In the present crisis these imports have very largely ceased and it is necessary to provide for the expenses of the government in other ways. So the levying of what will be known as the "war tax" is not a new or additional burden upon the country but a transfer from one method of taxation to another. When the flow ceases from one source, like a city's water supply, it must be provided from another source.

Cost of War.

It is announced that the European war is costing Germany alone five million dollars per day directly in cash to say nothing of the incalculable loss in the paralysis of industries, destruction of property and loss of life. When the war is ended, whether she wins or loses, hundreds of thousands of the flower of her manhood will have been stricken from the rolls.

While no figures have been given out by the other governments involved, the same ratio of cost will hold and the same final devastation must be their lot. Let us hope that this tremendous price to be paid will not only bring permanent peace but the establishment of democracy and true freedom and liberty and the end of autocracy and militarism in all Europe.

As a slight recompense for the heavy loss and inconvenience levied upon this country by the war in Europe, it is estimated that more than \$500,000 per day will be saved to this country by the return of Americans to this country. Nearly a hundred thousand have already returned or are on their way home. Assuming that their expenses abroad are no more than \$5 per day each, the total expended by the entire number reaches the surprising amount mentioned above.

Spend \$100,000,000.

Those in position to know claim that one hundred million dollars are annually spent by Americans at European health resorts while the more fortunate, traveling abroad for pleasure leave an additional two hundred and fifty millions. During their enforced stay at home this amount should be spent in this country and for the products of this country.

The republicans now declare that the democratic congress has been extravagant. With a great and expanding nation, the democrats have found it necessary to appropriate a good deal of money for the expenses of the government, but, in the light of the fact that the republicans increased the expenses of the government five hundred million dollars per year during a period of ten years, the people may well ask what the expenses would now be if the republicans were still in power. The appropriations for the past four years have been much larger than otherwise because of the Panama canal, now finished, and because of projects provided for in prior congresses.

Should Return Legislators.

The voters of Missouri can not afford to lose a single one of the present democratic representatives in congress. Both senators and each member of the house have made enviable records for fidelity to duty, industry and capability. No state in the union is more ably or faithfully represented as a whole. Nor is any state represented by men who stand closer to the people, who are more in sympathy with their needs and desires, or who more honestly and courageously endeavor to represent and protect the interests of their constituents. No state delegation, not even New Jersey, has stood so loyally behind the administration nor given it more able support than has that of Missouri. Senator Stone, who has been re-elected, and each member in the house should be returned by increased majorities, if full appreciation of their efforts is shown.

Miss Louise Marshall, who is teaching at McFall, is visiting in the city.

EACH IS FINED \$50

LAWSON BROTHERS ASSAULTED LUCIEN SLAGLE.

ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

Hearing of Roy Gunn, Alleged to Have Caused Farmer's Death Begun in Circuit Court.

Everett Lawson and Hurlburt Lawson, brothers, living near Ravenwood, were each fined \$50 for assault by a jury in circuit court this morning after an all-night's deliberation. They were charged with having assaulted Lucien Slagle last March, in which they used knuckles.

The trial occupied the attention of the court all of yesterday. The case went to the jury at 6 o'clock last night. The verdict was returned at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Neither had paid his fine at noon. Both probably will do so unless an appeal is taken. Three ballots were taken by the jury. The first one resulted in a 10 to 2 vote for conviction, while the second stood 11 for conviction. Each gave bond for \$100, with brother, Emmett D. Lawson, as surety.

Begin Gunn Trial.

The trial of Roy Gunn of Burlington Junction, charged with murder in the second degree for the death last June of Leonard W. Huddle, a farmer living near Burlington Junction, was begun in circuit court this morning.

It is expected to consume the entire day in court. The jurors hearing the case are: Emmett Bishop, Carl Perkins, W. T. Osborne, L. A. Nye, Edward Allen, I. S. Dickerson, Henry Neff, Ezra Phipps, E. F. Wolfert, James Colvin, F. W. Campbell and Henry Wright.

It is alleged Gunn struck Huddle over the head with a stool, in a fight at Burlington Junction Sunday afternoon, May 10. The trouble started over the disappearance of a jug of whiskey. Huddle died two days later. Jasper Daugherty, charged on four counts with gaming, waived arraignment and pleaded not guilty in circuit court late yesterday afternoon. His bond was placed at \$200. He furnished cases set for trial Monday and Tuesday were set forward one week.

IS TIT FOR TAT TO MARK STREETS

ALLIES AND GERMANS SEE-SAW AT AINSE.

TEUTONS ATTACK ANEW EFFECTS 100 BLOCKS

Fierce Battle With French and English Between Royce and Arrah—Russia Reports Victory.

Paris, October 3.—After having tried in vain recently in North France to break the strong Anglo-French line at Tracey, Lemont and then at Royce, the Germans have renewed their fierce attacks between the latter city and the region of Arrah. Their last efforts, in which they have been hurling their forces against the allies, show no better results than the other time.

The French, in an official statement, frankly admit a light falling back of the left of one of their detachments. On the other hand, the allies have not only successfully opposed the terrific onslaughts of the enemy but have made gains.

London, October 3.—The Germans have suffered a terrible defeat in the provinces of Lodz and Suwalki, Russian Poland, according to an official report sent to the Russian embassy here. The retreating force is said to have abandoned a great quantity of arms, ammunition and transports. It is reported the Germans lost 30,000 killed and 20,000 taken prisoners.

TO NAME ELECTION JUDGES.

County Court Will Appoint 138 Judges and 92 Clerks.

Six judges and four clerks for each one of the twenty-three voting precincts of Nodaway county will be appointed by the county court which meets Monday morning, to conduct the general election November 3. The usual routine work also will come up for transaction.

It is not believed a petition calling for an election to abolish township organization in the county, will be presented to the county court Monday as at first was planned. Petitions asking that such a vote be taken, has been in circulation in several townships for several days. None of the petitions had been filed with County Clerk George Demott at noon today.

IS HURT IN 20-FOOT FALL

Jesse Onstott Alights On Cement Floor—Skull May Be Fractured.

FARMER SUICIDES

Skidmore Resident Is Found Dead South of City—Wife Sues for Legal Separation.

Despondent because of family troubles, Noah E. Dawson, 40 years old, a farmer living 3 miles southeast of Skidmore, committed suicide late yesterday afternoon by swallowing an ounce of carbolic acid.

Yesterday morning Dawson came to Maryville and spent several hours in conference with his wife, who on September 28, filed suit for divorce. The couple could come to no agreement it is said, and shortly after noon Dawson started for his home. Just before starting he went to the store of Love & Gaugh and purchased an ounce of carbolic acid. He told the druggist he wanted the acid to use on one of his horses which was suffering with a sore neck.

Dawson then started to walk home. His body was found six miles south of town about 3:30 in the afternoon. It was lying under a clump of trees by the road in front of the John Shenkel farm, on the Skidmore road.

The body was discovered by Roy Hughbanks of this city. Dawson had been dead about one-half an hour when his body was found.

May Drop Divorce.

Coroner W. M. Wallis, Jr., held a view inquest. A note written by Dawson to his wife, was found in a small notebook in his pocket. The note in part read:

"Dear Vira and children: I bid you a fond adieu. You will have no further use for court proceedings. Do not think hard of me, if I have treated you harshly I did not mean to. Take good care of the money and you can live comfortably."

The body was taken last night to the undertaking rooms of Price & McNeal. It was removed at noon today to the old home at Sheridan, where Dawson's mother, Mrs. Louisa M. Dawson, lives.

The funeral services will be held there tomorrow morning from the Christian church. Burial will be in the Sheridan cemetery. Rolla Alexander, a brother-in-law to Mrs. Dawson accompanied the body. Mr. Dawson was a member of the Odd Fellows lodge of Skidmore which will have charge of the funeral services tomorrow.

Were Married 10 Years.

Dawson was born August 10, 1874, in Highland county, Ill. He came with his parents to Missouri and lived on a farm near Sheridan during his boyhood. He was married ten years ago to Elvira B. Hayes, a daughter of J. T. Hayes of this city. After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Dawson lived on a farm in Perry county, Ill., and returned to Nodaway about two years ago.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION.

Christian Pastor Leaves Tomorrow for International Meet at Atlanta.

The Rev. Robert L. Finch, pastor of the First Christian church, will leave tomorrow evening for Atlanta, Ga., to attend the international convention of Christian churches which meets in that city the coming week.

The Ladies' Aid society of the church gave the funds to meet Mr. Finch's expenses on the trip. Mr. Finch goes as a representative of the Maryville church. While there he will be a guest of the Rev. L. O. Bricker of Atlanta, a former Maryville pastor.

BAPTIST MEN BANQUET.

Initial Fall Gathering Held at Church—Plans Made for Work.

The Men's club of the First Baptist church held a banquet at the church Thursday night, the occasion being their first gathering after the summer vacation. About sixty members were present and there were several visitors, among them being the Rev. Mr. Barnes of Bolckow, who made an address.

The banquet was served by the members of the Ladies' Aid society. After the serving short talks were made by various ones. The principal address of the evening was given by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor, on the subject, "A Wider Field of Work." The meeting was very enthusiastic in spirit and some very good plans were talked of for the winter work.

Miss Pearl Jackson of near Parnell and Miss Blanche Shipps, Second and Buchanan street, who is teaching the Morning View school near Parnell, came to Maryville this morning to spend the week-end at the Shipps home.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Goforth and child of near Barnard came here this morning to visit with their cousin, Mrs. Harry Shipps.

LECTURES HERE TOMORROW

Bible Students' Speaker to Deliver Free Sermon at Empire Theater.

PASTOR C. G. BUEHLER.

The Rev. C. G. Buehler, of the International Bible Students' Association of Brooklyn, N. Y., will deliver two free religious lectures in the Empire theater at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and again at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. The subject for the afternoon sermon

is "Beyond the Grave," and that night, "Christ's Second Coming, Why, How and When."

The purpose of these lectures is said to be the stirring up of a more general interest in individual Bible study. The lectures are from an unsectarian standpoint and are entirely free. There will be no admission charge nor collection taken. Persons of any denomination or none, are welcome.

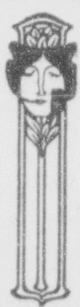


PASTOR C. G. BUEHLER.

John Bunny,
The Countess, FROM THE MUNSEY MAGAZINE FEATURING FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN
THE FERN THEATRE, TO-NIGHT
3 SHOWS, 7, 8 AND 9 FIVE AND TEN CENTS

It is Not Often That a Maryville Audience Has the Opportunity of Hearing People of the Musical Standing of the Scotney Company

A Wonderful CONCERT



The company is composed of Madam Evelyn Scotney, one of the leading soprano soloists of the Boston Opera Company, Howard White, Basso, of the same company, Karl Barleben, Violinist, of the Boston Symphony Orchestra and Frank Waller, Pianist, Assistant Conductor of the Boston Opera.

This Concert is the first number of the Maryville Lyceum Course of seven attractions, each of which is a headliner.

Season tickets for the entire course costs you \$2.00, the single admission to the course amounts to \$5.00. This first number will be given next Tuesday Night, October 6, in the Christian Church, where all the numbers will be given. Season tickets should be purchased before Tuesday evening as they will cost \$3.00 at the door. Phone your order for tickets to the Conservatory and they will be held for you. If you have already signed cards for tickets call for them at the same place.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather tonight and Sunday; probably showers.

ATTENTION

Woodmen Drill Team

Is requested to be at the hall at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon. By order of

CAPTAIN PHIPPS
COMMANDING OFFICER

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REPAIRS COST \$125,000.

Flood Damage to Creston Branch Is Large.

More than \$125,000 will be expended on the Creston branch of the Burlington railroad in repairing the damage of the recent floods. Work trains and crews of men are still engaged in putting the track and bridges in shape, and Superintendent N. C. Allen of Creston, Iowa, is spending much of his time in this locality.

Bedford was about the middle of the greatest damage to the roadbed and tracks. Between Conway and Hopkins the conditions were the worst they have ever been, according to railway men.

WAR MAKES HORSES HIGHER.

Cheapening By Motor Car Followed By Call From Europe.

The thousands of motor cars that went into Kansas, Oklahoma and Missouri in the last few years have put out of commission saddle, buggy and roadster horses by the ten thousands. The prices for these horses declined because there was such a diminished demand for them and the farmers were loth to dispose of them at a sacrifice. The result was that many farmers were carrying the animals as excess in their farm equipments. They were not big enough to draw the heavy plows and harvesting machinery.

Now comes the European war with its demand for cavalry horses. The buyers for the English government are asking for just the kind of horses that the farmers have in excess and little use for. The horses have risen in price very rapidly and the farmers now have the market they were looking for. It is estimated that Great Britain is to purchase about fifty thousand horses in the middle west. As the animals are purchased they are sent by express trains to Canada, where they are taken to England by boat.

Would Retain Townships.

The Parnell Sentinel comes out with this article relative to the proposal of abolishing township organization in Nodaway county:

"A petition has been presented to the county court of Nodaway county calling for an election to vote out township organization at the general election to be held on November 3. This may be a good thing, but we have our doubts about the matter. This is a pretty large county for a few men to try and run. Better let well enough alone is our opinion about township organization."

Start Store at Grant City.

Charles F. Gorton and J. W. Cox, both of Maryville, have rented a building in Grant City and are preparing to establish a racket store, handling only articles to sell from 5 to 25 cents. They expect to open the store within two weeks. Mr. Gorton has moved his family there. He formerly was assistant manager of the Kessler racket store here.

At Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hall left yesterday for a ten day's visit at Excelsior Springs.

Sheridan School to Open.

The new school building at Sheridan is expected to be completed today and the 1914-1915 term will begin Monday.

"CASCARETS" CLEANSE LIVER AND BOWELS

Cure Sick Headache, Constipation, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, Bad Breath—Candy Cathartic.

Get a 10-cent box now.
Are you keeping your liver, stomach and bowels clean, pure and fresh with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passage every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil? This is important.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. No odds how sick, headachy, bilious and constipated you feel, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from your druggist will keep your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a gentle cleansing, too.

TO MARK STREETS

(Continued from Page 1)

Isfactory the city intends to purchase. It costs \$135. Another grader of six-horse type also may be ordered sent here on trial. The one proving the most satisfactory, will be retained.

Motions to vacate Tenth street from Mulberry to Fillmore street, a distance of one block, and of Third street, east of the Burlington tracks, were submitted and the street committee ordered to investigate and report at the next meeting.

The Grems tract in the east part of the city was admitted for platting last night.

Block Standard's Move.

Another effort of the Standard Oil company to get a permit of the city to operate a sales agency here, met with failure last night. Some little encouragement was given, when the fire and light committee was ordered to investigate and report at the next meeting. The oil concern has operated in Maryville for years without such a permit.

An ordinance taking \$1,000 from the general street fund, was passed. No action was taken relative to erecting a new pedestrian bridge across a large ditch on North Main street. Councilman Gray however said it now was planned to use cement blocks for piers instead of setting up concrete forms.

Appoint Special Police.

The following special police commissions were ordered: For Jefferson school, W. X. Smith; for Commercial club during Homecoming week, W. Ashbire, W. Howland, C. A. Ale, Robert Jones, James Craig, James Pixler, J. H. Killian, E. E. Tilton and William Robey; for city during Homecoming week, Ezra Phipps, N. I. Woods, Charles Roberts and Albert Helard. William Burris was re-appointed night policeman for thirty days. Reports of the various city officers were read and approved. All members of the council were present.

Praises Wilson However.

"Woodrow Wilson may be wrong—we believe he is wrong—on some economic questions relating to the affairs of the general government, but we must admit that he is one of the greatest patriots that has ever occupied the presidential chair, a patriot who is imbued with a feeling for his fellowmen, anxious at all times to do what he thinks the best for his country. No one can doubt his high standard of citizenship, his exalted ideas of government, his love of peace, his scholarly attainments, and his willingness to sacrifice self in behalf of the onerous duties that fall upon him as chief executive of the nation. He is to be congratulated on the way he has handled the Mexican situation so far, and all republicans ought to be mainly enough to admit it."—Central Missouri Republican.

This praise from one of the strong republican papers of Missouri is praise indeed.

Mail to Front Doors Only.

The housewives and business men in many cities who have been accustomed to receiving their mail from obliging carriers at rear and side doors, must arrange now to have the postmen call only at the front door. Instructions have been sent out to the postmasters over the country to become operative in two months. It is claimed by the department that carriers lose much time by circuitous routes to rear and side doors in order to accommodate the patrons on their routes. The custom has prevailed to some extent in Maryville, and the carriers will no doubt welcome a strict enforcement of the order.

Will Leave for Atchison.

Miss Juno Jones will go to Atchison, Kansas, tomorrow morning to accompany home her mother, Mrs. J. B. Jones, who will return tomorrow night from a month's stay at an Atchison sanitarium. Mrs. Jones is greatly improved in health.

Miss Anna Boedeker of Ravenwood, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Maryville several days, returned to her home this morning.

All that President Wilson had to mobilize was the good common sense of the American people, which he succeeded in doing.

BOY SCOUTS ORGANIZE.

First Meet Held Thursday Night—McDougal and Gray Scout Masters.

An organization of Boy Scouts was effected Thursday night at a meeting called at the First Christian church. A good crowd responded to the call and it is expected there will be more than a hundred members by the time the organization is completed.

The boys will be under the leadership of John McDougal and Edward Gray, scout masters. The next meeting will be Thursday night of next week when the "tenderfoot" examinations will be continued. The meeting for the organization was called by the Rev. R. L. Finch who has held a Scout Master's commission from the national association for several years.

THE BLANKET BALLOT

At the November Election—Form of It Has Been Received Here.

Under the new election law, the old form of ballot—the blanket—will be returned to at the November election and the six tickets to be voted will be printed on a single large sheet that will be about the size of the regular pages of the Democrat-Forum. County Clerk George Demott has received from the state department the form of the ballot.

There are six tickets to be voted on at the election, democratic, republican, progressive, prohibition, socialist and socialist labor.

It will be necessary for the printer who prints the ticket to stop the press six times for each precinct and change his forms, as the law states that the tickets must alternate in their position on the ballot sheet. That is, the democratic ticket can head the list, but on one-sixth of the ballots.

Under the primary law in Missouri a ticket may be scratched but a name cannot be written from one ticket to another as this would make a mutilated ballot, but under the general election laws in which the blanket ballot may be used, a voter may scratch any name on the ticket he is voting and write in any name he chooses.

Voters are advised that if they intend to vote the democratic ticket they must draw a heavy line through the five other tickets on the ballots, if this is not done no ballot has been cast and it will be thrown out and not counted. Under the old Australian system, once in vogue in Missouri, many voters made the mistake, when they intended to vote the straight democratic ticket of simply folding the ballot and handing it to the counting judge. He careful of this error in November and be sure and draw a heavy line through the other tickets.

The constitutional amendments and other matters submitted under the initiative and referendum, to the number of fifteen, will be printed on a separate sheet, which will be about the size of the general ballot.

Pass Harvard Test.

Eldon M. Findley and William M. Findley, sons of Dr. J. W. Findley of Graham have passed examination to the medical college of Harvard at Cambridge, Mass., after a severe test. They were two of the eleven university graduates to take it. Only they and a graduate of the Michigan State university succeeded in passing the quiz. Both are graduates of the University of Missouri.

To Visit at Wilson Home.

The Rev. J. H. Thompson, pastor of the Oregon Methodist church at Oregon, Mo., accompanied by Mrs. Thompson, will arrive in the city Tuesday evening to attend the Missouri annual conference of the Methodist churches. While here Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will be guests at the home of L. S. Wilson and family. Rev. Thompson was formerly pastor of the Maryville church.

Is 33 Years Old Today.

R. Bruce Montgomery, proprietor of the Montgomery Shoe company of this city, is celebrating his thirty-third birthday anniversary today. Mr. Montgomery is the son of J. F. Montgomery and for the past several years has been in the shoe business in this city. He is a successful young business man. He was born near Burlington Junction.

Teachers Get First Pay.

The twenty-three teachers of the grade and high schools of Maryville received their first month's pay last night when the board of education met in regular session. The payroll amounts to approximately \$1,800. Each teacher receives on an average of \$75, although some get more and some get less. The usual routine work was transacted.

File Maier Will.

The will of Gottlieb Maier, who died several weeks ago, was filed in probate court yesterday evening. He leaves \$5 to each of his six children and the remainder to his wife, Mrs. Louisa Maier, until her death or remarriage. Then it reverts equally to the children. She is named as executrix without bond.

Returns From Week's Stay.

Mrs. W. T. Gray returned home yesterday from a week's stay with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Jones and family of near Barnard.

Home From Kansas City.

Mrs. Charles McNeal returned at noon today from a week's visit with friends in Kansas City.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Church of Christ, Scientist.
206 South Main street.
Sunday school at 9:45.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. No Sunday evening worship.
Wednesday evening services at 8 o'clock.
Reading room at 206 South Main street. Open each afternoon from 2 till 5 o'clock. Every one invited.

First Presbyterian Church.
Main and Jenkins. The Rev. Samuel D. Harkness, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45.
Morning worship, communion service and sermon, subject, "Communion Meditations." Anthem, "O Bread of Life from Heaven." Pierce.
Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon subject, "Terms of Peace." Anthem, "O God of Love, O King of Peace." Baker.

First Baptist Church.
Market and Jenkins. The Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. This is the day for every one to come to Sunday school.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. At this hour an address will be given by Senator Anderson Craig, subject, "Shall the County Unit Bill Become a Law?"
R. Y. P. U. at 6:30 o'clock.
Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon subject, "What of the Harvest." Welcome is our watchword.

First Methodist Church.
Main and First, the Rev. G. S. Cox, pastor.
Sunday school rally at 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship at 10:45, sermon subject, "Life's Greatest Investment." Anthem, "How Beautiful Upon the Mountain." Spinney.

Epworth League service at 6:30 o'clock.
Evening worship at 7:30 with sermon by the Rev. W. B. Christy, D. D. Anthem, "Rejoice Emmanuel," by Nevins.
On Monday evening at 7:30 the fourth quarterly conference will meet in the church lecture room.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church.

Buchanan and Second. The Rev. J. H. Hubbard, pastor.
We had an increase in the attendance at the Sunday school last Sunday, but we want a larger increase tomorrow. Come every one at 10:30 sharp.
The Epworth League is booming. We want you to help.
Subject at the 10:45 morning service, "Temperance." At the 7:30 evening service, "Annas and Sapphira."
Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Miss Ethel Cook, leader.
We have a warm welcome for the stranger that worships with us.

First Christian Church.

Robert L. Finch.
Morning subject, "World Peace."
Evening subject, "The Church and John Barley Corn."
Mrs. F. P. Robinson will sing in the morning, "Let Us Have Peace," by Graff, and in the evening Mrs. Harry C. Todd will sing a gospel solo. Also special anthems by the choir under the direction of H. J. Becker, morning and evening.
Can you come back tomorrow? Try it. Let us have a day of splendid services. The evening service begins at 7:30. Note the change.

Returns to Iowa.

A. R. Jackson of Albia, Iowa, who have been visiting his brother, Dr. C. S. Jackson and family, left today for his home.

Not good after October 5, 1914.

VOTING COUPON

NODAWAY COUNTY HOMECOMING MOST POPULAR LADY CONTEST.

Portrait of winner to be shown in fireworks in connection with Pain's Mammoth Pyrotechnic Display.
FRIDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 16.

Name of Nominee.....

Address.....

This Coupon good for 1000 Votes.
Send or mail to Maryville Commercial Club.

Apples for Sale

At the FORD & KLAAS orchard Five Miles West of Parnell. Will begin picking October 5th and will sell while they last, orchard run:
Ben Davis and Missouri Pippin, per bushel 60c
Gano, per bushel.....75c

These apples have been sprayed and are good. Come early, first there, first served.

FORD & KLAAS

High School Notes.

At assembly on Tuesday afternoon of last week, Rev. L. M. Hale, pastor of the Baptist church, gave an interesting talk. His subject was "Do to a Finish." Assembly is held on Tuesday and Friday afternoons of each week.

The officers elected by the beginning senior class are: Fred Gray, president; Mary Lewis, vice-president; Ruby Irwin, secretary; Harold Sawyers, treasurer.

The athletic association has elected the following officers for this year: Joe Farmer, president; Kenneth Van Cleave, vice-president; Fred Gray, secretary and treasurer.

The following boys reported for try-out on the basketball squad Monday: Homer Scott, Jesse Miller, Jesse Strader, Harold Staples, Fred Gray, Joe Farmer, Harley Hughes, Myron Baker, Harold Sawyers, Verne Pickens, Irwin Harris, Kenneth Van Cleave. Scott, Miller and Strader were members of last year's team and Staples of year before last.

Two base ball teams were organized, Braves and Athletics, to play a series of three games. Two have already been played, the Braves winning both, 18-12 and 18-13.

The two senior classes and the members of the faculty held a picnic at Elm Grove Friday evening.

The beginning sophomores chaperoned by Miss Corwin and Miss Rooker held a picnic at Atherton's grove Thursday evening.

Attend Palestine Concert.

Twelve residents of Maryville went to the Palestine Methodist church, thirteen miles southwest of the city, last night to attend a banquet and concert. They were: Prof. P. O. Landon, Prof. and Mrs. H. B. Schuler, Mrs. W. M. Westbrook, Harry Mutz, Orlo Quinn, Miss Wilma Mills, Miss Nellie Wray, Miss Geneva Wilfley, Miss Alice Porter and Dr. Earl Braniger.

Following the concert they were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mountjoy.

To Visit at Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Gann and small daughter, Miriam, left yesterday for Des Moines, Ia., to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Lorange.

Miss Verna Key, No. 321 South Fillmore street, teacher at the Mount Vernon school near Wilcox, came home yesterday to spend the week-end.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Quitman News.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nichols and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kill of Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston visited friends in Quitman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and baby spent Sunday at the Lee Talbert home.

Rev. and Mrs. M. Dewitt and children were Sunday guests at the John Thompson home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury and son, Ralph, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lavinville and son, Lee Douglas, visited relatives at Pickering Sunday.

A surprise party was given Wednesday night at the home of Miss Latha Turpin in honor of her brother, Carl. Mrs. L. M. Strader of Maryville spent the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. W. D. McDonald.

Miss Aldene Tarpley visited Friday with Miss Alma McDonald.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle, 200. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.
Hogs, 6,000. Market 5 to 10c higher. Top, \$8.90. Estimate tomorrow, 25,000.
Sheep, 3,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle, 100. Market steady.
Hogs, 500. Market 5 to 10c higher. Top, \$8.35.
Sheep, 500. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle, 200. Market steady.
Hogs, 2,000. Market 5 to 10c higher. Top, \$8.30.
Sheep, 200. Market steady.

Pickeringites Would Wed.

A marriage license was granted yesterday by Recorder of Deeds J. Arthur Wray to William O. Saunders, 25 years old of Pickering and Pearl B. Craven, 25 years old, also of Pickering. They are to be married at Pickering.

Dr. F. M. Ryan, M.D.

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State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior
partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., do-
ing business in the City of Toledo, County and
State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay
to each and every one of its creditors the full
amount of its debts in full, and that said firm
is not insolvent.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Signed before me and subscribed to by
me, Notary Public, on this day of October, A. D. 1914.
A. W. CLARKSON,
Notary Public,
Toledo, Ohio.

Harry Ochsman, Clerk of the Court, and
Notary Public, on this day of October, A. D. 1914,
have signed and sealed the foregoing
order of the court, and have caused the same
to be filed for record in the office of the
Recorder of Deeds, in the County of Lucas,
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P. S. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, Etc.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Maple Lawn Notes.

Mrs. Henry Smith of College
Springs, Iowa, spent Sunday visiting
her sister, Mrs. William Snodderly.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Sharp and
family of Braddyville, Ia., spent Sun-
day with Mrs. Sharp's parents, Mr. and
Isaac Linebaugh.

Miss Bessie Vail spent Sunday, the
guest of Miss Ruby Snodderly.

Mrs. Frank Roach and son, Harden,
and Miss Bernice Roach spent Sunday
visiting William Snodderly and fam-
ily.

Mr. and Mrs. James Andrews and
family were Sunday dinner guests of
Oscar Andrews and family.

L. Curran and family, Claude Skeed
and family, and Lois Linebaugh spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Mil-
bank.

J. E. Bean and family spent Sunday
visiting relatives at Clarinda, Iowa.

Every one is invited to attend the
box supper to be held at the Maple
Lawn school house on the night of Oc-
tober 23.

Mrs. A. P. Swaney spent Sunday vis-
iting her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Moore
of Shambaugh.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for
Chichester's Diamond Brand
Pills to keep you healthy and
happy. They are the only
pills that are so gentle and
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sure. They are the only
pills that are so easy to
take. They are the only
pills that are so cheap.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

NOTICE

I will have a car load of
Apples at Burlington
Tracks, Saturday, Monday
and Tuesday at reasonable
prices.

W. B. REED

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Regular Conservatory Course
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We are prepared to do this
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Meat Markets Closed

ON SUNDAYS

All the meat markets will
be closed Sundays from
now on until further notice.

Chas. Buhler
A. Vandersloot
L. E. Forsyth
T. F. Reimer

WILLIAM ROCKFELLER.

Financier Who Retires
From Board of Directors
Of New Haven Railroad.



Photo by American Press Association.

WOUNDED GERMAN SOLDIERS TORTURED

French Irregulars Cut Off Their Ears and Noses.

Washington, Oct. 3.—An official re-
port from the foreign office at Berlin
was made public by Count von Bern-
storff, German ambassador, charging
that wounded soldiers had been tor-
tured and horribly mutilated by
French irregular soldiers, who attack-
ed a field hospital at Orchies, a town
in the north of France. The town
was demolished as a result. The re-
port said:

"From headquarters General von
Schuring reported to the emperor that
a field hospital at Orchies, in the north
of France, was attacked by franciers
(snipers, or irregularly armed
persons). A punitive expedition en-
countered superior forces and had to
retreat, leaving thirty-five wounded.
On the following day the Bavarian
troops met no enemy and found Or-
chies deserted, but found there twenty
wounded Germans, left the day before,
horribly mutilated. Their noses and
ears were cut off and they were suffo-
cated by inserting sawdust into their
mouths and noses."

Holland Will Stop Exports of Food.

London, Oct. 3.—Holland has given
assurances that it will prevent the ex-
portation of foodstuffs from Holland
to Germany or to other countries now
at war. This action by the Dutch gov-
ernment greatly simplifies the differ-
ences which have arisen concerning
cargoes of food destined for Nether-
lands and makes it possible for the
British government to claim the sole
right and investigation of cargoes of
foodstuffs.

Lawn Party.

Floyd Foreman and his sister, Velma,
gave a lawn party last night at their
home, their guests being Miss Faye
Farmer, Miss Marie Clud, Misses Leska
and Leta Wray, Miss Helen Rose
Crawford, Miss Dorothy McDonald,
Miss Helen Dean, Robert Harris, Paul
Pickens, Virgil Rathbun, a Ky Hemp-
stead and Charles Bellows.

Will Not Play All Stars.

The Stanberry baseball team have
arranged to play a Shenandoah, Ia.,
team at Stanberry tomorrow after-
noon, instead of the All Stars of
Maryville, as at first was planned.
The All Stars will not play tomor-
row.

Mrs. Daniels Improving.

Mrs. Ed Adams of Rosendale and
Bernard Adams of Rea, were called to
Barnard yesterday by the serious ill-
ness of their mother, Mrs. George Dan-
iels, who suffered a paralytic stroke
Thursday evening. Mrs. Daniels was
slightly improved today.

Get Permit to Wed.

Alfred S. Titze, 25 years old and Syl-
via R. Fox, 20 years old, both of Lenox,
Iowa, were granted a marriage license
by Recorder of Deeds J. Arthur Wray
this afternoon.

Mrs. Holland Arrives.

Mrs. E. D. Holland of Hot Springs,
Ark., arrived in Maryville last night to
visit her parents, Judge and Mrs. W. C.
Ellison.

Mrs. I. E. Tulloch and Mrs. S. A.
Rhoades of Barnard came to Maryville
today to visit until Monday with Mr.
and Mrs. J. E. Stewart.

Mrs. John Rasco of Barnard spent
the day visiting friends in Maryville.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

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Music Department to Meet.

The Music department of the Twen-
tieth Century club will meet at 3
o'clock Monday afternoon at the home
of Mrs. T. L. Wilderman 211 East
Lawn avenue. The study for the after-
noon will be German opera.

Mearl William Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Cook announce
the birth of their son, October 1, to
whom they have given the name, Mearl
William Cook. Mr. and Mrs. Cook
make their home with his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Henry Cook, living south of
the city.

Dinner at Noakes Home.

Miss Katherine Woods and daugh-
ters, the Misses Eathel and Sadie
Woods, Mrs. Calista Dawson and
daughter, Eva, will be the guests at a
dinner given tomorrow noon by Mr.
and Mrs. Robert Noakes at their coun-
try home west of the city.

Guest of Misses Helwig.

Miss Ella Moore of Pattonsburg ar-
rived in Maryville this morning to
spend the week end, the guest of the
Misses Katherine and Orrel Helwig.
Miss Moore came to attend the anni-
versary meeting of the Daughters of
the American Revolution held this after-
noon at the home of Mrs. C. C. Cor-
win.

Give Luncheon at Robidoux.

Miss Lurie Kemp and Miss Hettie
Anthony entertained a party of friends
today with a motor trip in the Kemp
car to St. Joseph where they were
guests at a luncheon at the Robidoux
hotel. The party included Mrs. Alice
Porrin, Miss Mildred Miller, Miss Beu-
lah Bruner, Miss Fannie Hope, Miss
Carrie Hopkins, Miss Anthony and
Miss Kemp.

Loyal Daughters Give Social.

The Loyal Daughters class of the
First Christian church held a box sup-
per in the lecture room of the church
held a box supper in the lecture room
of the church, the affair earning about
\$7 which goes to the support of a little
girl in the St. Louis orphanage which
the class has undertaken for this year.
The class is taught by Mrs. Robert Lyle
Finch.

Auditorium class Entertained.

The Auditorium class of the First
Christian church met last night at the
home of the Rev. and Mrs. Robert L.
Finch and formally organized the class
for the winter's study. The class is
taught by Mr. Finch and its member-
ship is made up of young married peo-
ple. Those present last night at the
meeting were Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Utter,
Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Meyer, Mr. and
Mrs. John Clary, Mr. and Mrs. John
Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Strong, Mr.
and Mrs. Roy Flynt and Mr. and Mrs.
Finch. Mr. Strong was elected class
president. The meeting closed with
the serving of a luncheon.

Moonlight Picnic.

A moonlight picnic was given
Thursday night at the whip-poor-will
club grounds by the members of the
sophomore class of the High school. The
crowd included Miss Mary Woodbridge,
Miss Leta Wray, Miss Lavina Swin-
ford, Miss Maude Helpley, Miss Lil-
lian Carpenter, Miss Marie Wright,
Miss Elfreida Linville, Miss Alta Doyle,
Miss Leta Babbs, Miss Bessie Allen,
Miss Loma Bower, Miss Velma Apple-
by, Miss Edith Kidder, Miss Leola
Frede, Miss Marie Landfather, Miss
Mabel Curnutt, Miss Wave Hulet,
Clarke Evans, Ellison Frank, Emmett
Bartram, Harry Holmes, Martin Lewis,
Jr., Ernest Alexander, Berney Harris,
Jr., Robert Groppe, Eugene Yehle and
Merrill Nixon. Miss Mae Corwin and
Miss Mary Rooker chaperoned the party.

Mrs. Miller Hostess.

Mrs. Fred Miller entertained the C.
W. B. M. of the First Christian church
at her country home north of the city
yesterday afternoon, when a delightful
time was spent by the members. Mrs.
J. D. Frank had charge of the program
and readings were given by Mrs. Eu-
gene Rathbun and Mrs. J. B. Robinson
and the "quiz" was conducted by Mrs.
Miller. After the program, the retir-
ing president, Mrs. Robert Lyle, made
a splendid talk and conducted the in-
stallation ceremonies for the new offi-
cers for the coming year who are Mrs.
R. L. McDougal, president; Mrs. P. P.
Reuillard, vice president; Mrs. R. C.
Benight, secretary; Mrs. W. B. Porter,
treasurer, and Mrs. Belle Davenport,
corresponding secretary. After the
program was concluded, a delicious
luncheon was served. Mrs. Miller's as-
sistants were Mrs. W. T. Key, Mrs.
Albert Bell and Mrs. B. E. Condon.

"Baby" Party.

Mrs. Charles Jackson was the hos-
tess at a "baby" party given yester-
day afternoon in compliment to Mrs.
Frank Shoemaker Jr., and her baby
son, Jacques Michau, of Oklahoma
City, Okla., who are the guests of
Maryville relatives. The afternoon
was very informal. Mrs. Jackson
was assisted in entertaining by her
daughter, Elise, and those who en-
joyed the afternoon were Mrs. Shoemaker and son, Mrs. Jos. Jackson,
Jr., and baby, Jimmie, Mrs. Charles
Bell and small son, Charles Robin-
son, Mrs. J. A. Ford and little grand-
son, Jim Andy Ford Bradley, Mrs.
Oliver Bovard and baby son, Mrs.
Luther Forsythe and daughter, Ed-
wine, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend,
Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Sr., Mrs. E.
L. Townsend and Mrs. Lavencour
Michau.

Missionary Tea.

Clusters of wild flowers and potted
plants beautified the home of Mrs.
G. B. Holmes on Grand Avenue yester-
day afternoon for the tea given
by the Women's Missionary Society
of the First Baptist church, preced-
ing the serving a program was given.
Mrs. Anderson Craig acted as lead-
er and readings were given by Mrs.
E. L. Andrews and Mrs. Bruce Mont-
gomery. A vocal solo by Mrs. H. L.
Raines concluded the program. The
tea table was centered with a large
rustic basket filled with zenias. Mrs.
G. W. Hempstead, Mrs. Stella Ep-
erson, Mrs. W. M. Westbrook, Mrs.
Bruce Montgomery and Miss Orrel
Helwig served, assisted by Miss Hazel
Everhart, Miss Louise Rowlett and
Miss Myra Hull. About fifty guests
were present. Among the visiting
guests were Mrs. Henry Hudson, Mrs.
Edelen, Mrs. C. S. Suckow, Mrs. Glen
Breedlove, Mrs. Collison and Mrs.
Sue Lane. The patronesses of the
tea were Mrs. Fred Hastings, Mrs.
S. A. Helwig, Mrs. G. W. Hempstead,
Mrs. G. B. Holmes, Mrs. A. M. How-
ard, Mrs. Lewis Hale, Mrs. Herman
Hull, Mrs. M. E. Hunt, Miss Orrel
Helwig and Miss Myra Hull.

Ladies Aid Entertained.

The annual election of officers for
the Ladies' Aid society of the Buch-
anan street Methodist church took
place yesterday at a meeting held at
the home of Mrs. Frank Mathes. The
meeting was presided over by the
president, Mrs. J. H. Thorp, and the
devotions were led by the Rev. J. H.
Hubbard. The new officers chosen
were Mrs. Thorp, re-elected president;
Mrs. W. R. Evans, vice president; Mrs.
N. F. Humber, secretary; Mrs. Dell
Thompson, treasurer. Two new mem-
bers were then received. They were
Mrs. James Stewart and Mrs. Ed Dale.
After the business session a social
time was enjoyed. For the afternoon
the Mathes home had been prettily de-
corated with pink and white and the
same colors were used in the luncheon
served. Mrs. Mathes was assisted by
Mrs. James Pyle, Mrs. E. W. Willough-
by and Miss Mary Lois Pyle in serving.
Those present were Mrs. Dell Thomp-
son, Mrs. James Stewart, Mrs. Edward
Dale, Mrs. Floyd Brown, Mrs. Ray-
mond Barry, Mrs. W. R. Evans, Mrs.
John Awalt, Mrs. J. H. Thorp, Mrs.
Frank Craig, Mrs. E. W. Heideman,
Mrs. John Rickman, Mrs. Lydia Wilk-
erson, Mrs. Clara Trewitt, Mrs. M. E.
Farrar, Mrs. E. W. Willoughby, Mrs.
James Pyle, Mrs. Mathes, Mrs. N. F.
Humber and Miss Ella May King,
members, and Mrs. Alva Maul, Mrs.
Skelton, Mrs. Mary Dale and the Rev.
J. H. Hubbard, who were visitors for
the afternoon.

To Take Disease Census.

A tuberculosis census of thousands
of churches in various parts of the
country will be taken this month un-
der the direction of the National Asso-
ciation for the Study and Prevention
of Tuberculosis. The census is part of
the preparation for the fifth annual
tuberculosis day, to be observed dur-
ing the week of November 29.

The clergymen of several thousand
churches are being asked to answer
the following questions:

- 1.—How many persons are under
your pastoral charge?
- 2.—At how many funerals did you or
your assistants officiate during the
year ending August 31, 1914?
- 3.—How many of these deaths for
the year ending August 31, 1914, were
from tuberculosis?
- 4.—How many living cases of tuber-
culosis were under your pastoral su-
pervision on September 1, 1914?

These figures will be made the ba-
sis of an educational campaign which
will culminate in the tuberculosis day
movement, for which occasion sermon
and lecture outlines and other forms
of tuberculosis literature will be dis-
tributed to clergymen.

Builds Big Barn.

O. F. Wilson has begun the erection
of a fine new stock barn on his farm
east of Burlington Junction. The barn
will be used for the Hereford cattle
and when completed will be one of the
best in the county. The dimensions of
the structure are 80x55 feet. There will
be twenty-one large stalls for the
cows and calves. A large compart-
ment will be made for the older
calves and other stock. Two large
grain bins will be made on the ground
floor and all of the second floor will
be used for hay and straw. The barn
will be equipped with conveniences for
feeding. H. E. Clark will have charge
of the construction and he will use a
force of five or six carpenters. William
Able is laying the concrete foundation
for the barn this week.—Burlington
Junction Post.

W. H. Mills of Skidmore spent the
day yesterday visiting his daughter,
Miss Wilma Mills.

Hurray for Wray!

Let's all enthuse.

A dose is sure
to cure the blues

He's b...n our friend
and is today

"You bet your boots,"
we'll stick to Wray.

Remember to
Re-elect Wray
Recorder. That's
Reasonable

—Advertisement

AUTO-POLO ATTRACTS CROWD.

Auditors See Expert Motor Driving
And Several Accidents.

The initial game of auto-polo in
Maryville was played at the fair
grounds yesterday afternoon to a fair
sized crowd. The skill on the part of
the "British" player was good while
both teams furnished good drivers. The
game closed with a score of 6 to 5 in
favor of the "British." The "Ameri-
cans" were considerably handicapped
on account of the lay of the land.

Several mishaps, in which the
"Americans" broke one front wheel
and had a turn over, and the "British"
had about the same luck, helped to fur-
nish excitement for the crowd.

As large or a larger crowd turned
out for the final game this afternoon.
That the game is an interesting one
and is well worth the price of admis-
sion, appears evident from the number
who are returning today for their sec-
ond look-in.

Kids Become Scarce.

Merchants have declared there will
be a shortage of kid gloves in this
country this winter on account of the
war, as the finest gloves come from
Germany and France. Linen stuffs are
also higher because of the closing of
many of the linen mills.

Milton Johnson and William Broyles
have rented the William Doran farm
of 240 acres, 8 miles northeast of
Maryville, and will take possession
this fall.

Is Test of Young Men.

If the young men who constitute the
rising generation care at all for the
opinions of their elders, they will
know how to meet the dilemma of
picking out the fall hat without ignor-
ing the requirements of fashion alto-
gether, and also without yielding to
the impulse to be as fashionable as
any of the other young fellows are cer-
tain to be.

The prevailing styles in hats for
young men are calculated to bring out
the best there is in our sons or our
younger brothers. The youth who can
keep the middle course in selecting
his autumn "skypiece" is sure to be
able to hold his own in the most se-
rious problems which will confront
him in his young manhood.

One rule for the guidance of the fal-
tering might profitably be laid down.
The proper-minded young man will
make no mistake in his selection of a
hat if he will choose one that a hobo
would not be ashamed to wear, if he
found it, only slightly used, in the
ash barrel.

Clearmont Pastor Leaves.

The Clearmont News says the Rev.
C. H. Owens has accepted a pastorate
at Huron, Kan., and has moved his
family there. Besides acting as pastor
at Huron, he will attend the Baptist
university of Kansas City, in order
to make him more efficient in his min-
isterial work.

The Rev. Mr. Spainhower, pastor of
the Christian church at Elmo, also has
resigned to enter school at Eureka,
Ill.

Beginning tomorrow all meat markets
in Maryville will be closed every Sun-
day until further notice.



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Which will be opened October 5. Spe-
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rangements right away.

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NO ALUM IN ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Concedes It.
The St. Louis Globe-Democrat has editorially conceded that the country will endorse Wilson's administration at the November election because of the feeling that he has kept the United States free from war with Mexico and entangling alliances and complications with the warring nations of the world.

That was a splendid tribute paid to Senator Stone and President Wilson by Henry King, editor of the Globe-Democrat at the banquet given the Missouri Press Association by the City Press club of St. Louis last week. In emphatic language he endorsed Senator Stone's great neutrality speech in the senate recently delivered, and praised Wilson's peace policy in the strongest terms.

The Wilson administration does not cross streams before it comes to them; but when it does come to them it does cross them.

Returns to Trenton.
Mrs. Mabel Steers of Trenton, who has been visiting at the home of her uncle, W. H. Allen, left yesterday for her home. She was accompanied as far as St. Joseph by Mrs. Allen, who spent the day there.

Attending Harvard University.
Two Graham boys, Eldon M. and William M. Findley, sons of Dr. J. W. Findley of that town, are attending the medical college of Harvard university at Cambridge, Mass.

C. C. Knepper Porter and Brown, Sheley and Lowrey, E. R. Brunk and Ramey & Company, all Nodaway county stock raisers, marketed stock in the St. Joseph markets yesterday.

Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

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Horses, Mules and Farm Implements and few Household Goods.
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AINSE FRAY ENTERS ITS 4TH WEEK

**More Fighting Is Re-
quired to Win.**

HEAVIEST BLOW IN WEST

**Extremely Violent Engagement
Continues In Roye District.**

EFFORT TO CROSS THE MEUSE

**Attempt Made by Kaiser's Men
to Retake Lost Ground.**

WAR SUMMARY

The great battle of the Aisne has not been decided. The action appears to be extending more and more northward.

On the left wing of the allies, one of the French detachments, which came out of Arras, department of Pas-de-Calais, has fallen back a little toward the east and north of that city, according to a French official announcement.

The allies have made progress in front of Albert, north of the Somme, according to the latest official announcement in Paris. Between Roye and Lassigny violent attacks have been directed by the Germans against the allied line, but these attacks, the French official says, have broken against the French and British resistance.

Along the remainder of the front quiet is said to prevail. It is officially announced in Paris that no enemy remains on the left bank of the Meuse in the neighborhood of St. Mihiel, twenty miles southeast of Verdun. The first attempts of the Germans to pierce the outer line of forts at Antwerp appear to have failed.

London, Oct. 3.—The battle of the Aisne is now entering upon its fourth week and no decision has been reached. Reports from Paris earlier in the week that the allies' operations were about to succeed were premature. From all appearances there must be more hard fighting before either side gives way.

The heaviest blows are being given and taken in the western area, where according to the latest French official communication, an extremely violent battle continues, especially in the Roye district, where the Germans have concentrated considerable forces.

Action Extending Northward.
The communication added that the action was extending more and more northward, and that the fighting front now extended to the district south of Arras.

This, apparently, was a modest account of the northward advance of the French, for private telegram received in London announced that the French actually had reached Arras. Stubborn resistance is being offered by the Germans in the vicinity of Roye, where earlier in the week they succeeded in occupying the heights, which, however, they later were compelled to abandon.

Along the front from the Oise to the Meuse rivers, according to the French report, only partial operations have been attempted by either side. Frontal attacks by the allies, as a matter of fact, have been discontinued, while the flanks are fighting for ascendancy.

Pontoon Destroyed.
On the allies' right the Germans have made another attempt to cross the Meuse at St. Mihiel, where they got across last week. The German attempt to regain this ground, which they had abandoned when threatened on their flank by troops from Toul, was made when they tried to throw a bridge across the river. The pontoon, however, according to the French report, was destroyed during the night.

The Germans, who are supposed to have had the assistance of heavy Austrian guns, apparently have failed in their first attempt to pierce the outer line of fortifications at Antwerp. Official reports and statements by correspondents say that none of the Belgian forts have been severely damaged, and that the German infantry attacks were repulsed with heavy losses to the attackers.

American Red Cross Ship at Pauillac.
Bordeaux, Oct. 3.—The American hospital ship Red Cross arrived at Pauillac from Falmouth, England. It brought to France the Red Cross units which will serve with the French armies. In England it disembarked the units for service among the English and Russian wounded.

GENERAL NICHOLAEVITCH

Russian Commander
Sending All His Forces
Into the Kaiser's Country.



Photo by American Press Association.

RUSS SAY GERMANS LOSE 30,000 MEN

**Embassy at Rome Issues State-
ment Telling of Teuton Rout.**

London, Oct. 3.—A dispatch from Rome says:

"The Russian embassy here has issued a communication which announces that the Germans have suffered a terrible defeat in the provinces of Lodz and Suwalki, Russian Poland."

"The Germans, the communication says, were attacked with extreme violence and compelled to flee from Suwalki, Sostriwice and other towns, leaving behind them great quantities of transport and guns. Their troops threw away their rifles and baggage. Numerous cannon were abandoned in the quagmire."

"Other telegrams from Petrograd assert that the Germans have lost 30,000 men in killed or wounded and 20,000 taken prisoners."

PEOPLE FLEE TO ANTWERP

All Villages Near City Are Emptied as
Germans Draw Near.

London, Oct. 3.—A dispatch from Antwerp says:

"The population of all the villages between the first and second rings of forts surrounding the city are fleeing into Antwerp, but there is no panic. The inhabitants feel certain that help will come."

"Fifty thousand refugees have arrived from Ghent, 5,000 from Bruges, 3,000 from Coutrai and 2,000 from Ostend."

"Behind and in the enemy's lines in the provinces of Brabant, Limburg and Hainault, Belgian volunteers have succeeded in blowing up the railway track at ten places, besides destroying bridges and viaducts."

TEUTONS BOMBARD TAHITI

German Cruisers Half Raze Port of
Papeete and Sink French Gunboat.

Bordeaux, Oct. 3.—The German cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau bombarded and half destroyed Papeete, the principal town and port of the French island of Tahiti, the most important member of the Society group in the Pacific. Such is the news received by Minister of Colonies Gaston Doumergue. The cruisers also sunk the dismantled French gunboat Zelee, a sister ship to the Sunrise, in the harbor, and then put out to sea.

England Holds Down Sugar Prices.

London, Oct. 3.—The report of the royal commission appointed at the outbreak of the war, with full power to deal with all questions on the public sugar supply, shows that a great experiment has been made with state socialism and with success, so that there has only been a small increase in price and no shortage of sugar. The commission practically cornered the available supply and so checked speculation for a rise in the price.

England Will Lay Mines.

London, Oct. 3.—The official information bureau has issued the following on behalf of the admiralty: "The German policy of mine-laying, combined with their submarine activity, makes it necessary on military grounds for the admiralty to adopt counter-measures. His majesty's government has therefore authorized a mine-laying policy in certain areas."

Three Judges Killed in Battle.

Paris, Oct. 3.—The French bar has suffered the fortunes of war. In opening the sessions of the courts, the public prosecutor, Jules Herbaux, announced that three judges of the Paris bench had been killed, while a list of dead issued by the war office contained the names of many lawyers.

BEGIN ATTACK ON PRZEMYSL

**Czar's Troops Said to Have
Taken Two Forts.**

ASSAULTING CITY ON ALL SIDES

Austrian Government Reported to Be
Urging Emperor to Move Capital
From Vienna to Prague or Salzburg.
Fears Moral Effect of Action.

London, Oct. 3.—Reuter's Rome correspondent says news received in the Italian capital from the Russian headquarters is to the effect that Przemyśl, Galicia, has been attacked by the Russians on all sides.

Two of the forts, it is stated, already have been taken and from these the Russians have been able to silence several Austrian batteries.

A deep impression has been produced by a report circulating in diplomatic circles at Rome to the effect that the Austrian government in view of the present situation is urging Emperor Francis Joseph to transfer the court and seat of government either to Prague or Salzburg. It is asserted that the emperor dislikes the project because of the effect it would produce throughout the empire.

Prague is better adapted for a provisional capital, but it is objected to, it is said, because of the hostility of the Bohemians. At Salzburg the emperor would have a magnificent castle as a residence, but there would be poor accommodations for the government offices.

Battle Near Galicia On.

The battle, which promises to be the greatest and most important of the eastern campaign, has commenced near Cracow, Galicia, where an Austro-German army, estimated to number 800,000 men, is endeavoring to check the Russian advance. This combined Austro-German army has occupied a line just inside the Russian Poland frontier, from Cracow through Czestochowa to Kalisz, and has had plenty of time to prepare a strong defensive position.

Both sides are bringing up reinforcements. The Germans are hurrying theirs from Breslau and Bavaria. All the Bohemian and Moravian railways are congested with German troops and war material.

The German plan of an invasion of Russia, from East Prussia, has failed, according to Russian official reports, which say the Germans got as far as the western bank of the Niemen river, but found strong Russian forces in the hills on the eastern bank. Being in low and marshy ground, the Germans, according to the Russian viewpoint, were at a disadvantage and could not advance.

Claim Germans Fleeing.

A fight is now in progress at Mirampol, near the northeastern Prussian frontier, while farther south, in the Suwalki district, the Russians claim to have turned the Germans' retreat into a disorderly flight.

More heavy fighting is taking place at Augustow, 140 miles northeast of Warsaw, in the province of Suwalki, where the Germans have received reinforcements and been able to take the offensive. At Grapewo, twenty-five miles southwest of Augustow, the Russians again have entered German territory, and at Miawa they claim a victory over the Germans.

LEIPZIG SINKS A OTHER

German Cruiser Sinks British Tank
Steamer to Bottom Off Chile.

San Francisco, Oct. 3.—The Union Oil tanker Elsinore was sunk by the German cruiser Leipzig off the coast of Chile and the crew landed on the Galapagos Islands, off the coast of Ecuador. The Elsinore, which is of British registry, though American owned, was in ballast, bound north from Port San Luis, Cal. The news was received here from Valparaiso in a cable to the Union Oil company.

This is the second prize reported sunk by the Leipzig within two days.

Kaiser Back and Forth to Battles.

Rome, Oct. 3.—Emperor William, says a telegram from Berlin, is going from one front to another. He travels in a special train of ten Pullman cars, which formerly were painted white and blue, but which now have been repainted like the ordinary cars, in order to protect the train from the bombs of French aviators. When the emperor goes to places out of reach of the railway he travels by automobile. Besides his aides and bodyguard he is also watched by special secret field police.

Servian Reports of Victories Denied.

Amsterdam, Oct. 3.—An official dispatch received here from Vienna denies all Servian reports of victories over the Austrians, and says that the Austrians not only are secure in the positions they have captured east of the Drina river, but are advancing un-interruptedly.

French Gunboat Sinks German Ships.

London, Oct. 3.—A dispatch to Lloyd's agency from Bordeaux says it is officially announced there that a French gunboat has sunk two German auxiliary ships, the Rhios and Itolo, with mitrailleuses.

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Timekeeper's Watch Was Fast.
At the state fair in Topeka last week a young couple took seats in the grand stand. The youth bought a score card and announced: "This is the 2:30 trot." "Oh, it can't be," said the girl. "We left home at one o'clock, and we haven't been over twenty minutes getting here."

To put the old phrase to good use once more, the Wilson administration is best judged by the enemies it has made.

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